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Senate Resolution 644

By: Senators Tolleson of the 20th and Bulloch of the 11th

## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Commending the 25x'25 national campaign for agricultural energy sources; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, American agriculture is poised to play a more important role in meeting our
- 4 nation's future energy needs; and
- 5 WHEREAS, increasing America's renewable energy use will bring new technologies to
- 6 market and save consumers money, reduce our dependence on oil from the Middle East, and
- 7 create good new jobs in rural America; and
- 8 WHEREAS, leaders from across every sector of America's agricultural community have
- 9 established the 25x'25 national campaign with the stated goal of obtaining '25 percent of our
- energy from renewable resources like wind, solar, and biofuels by the year 2025"; and
- WHEREAS, the 25x'25 action plan, "Charting America's Energy Future," has been widely
- 12 acclaimed as a visionary course of action for the nation; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Georgia leaders recognize the importance of developing a comprehensive
- 14 alternative energy industry; and
- WHEREAS, Georgia seeks to lead the nation in research and private sector investment in
- alternative energy technology development.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 18 commend the leadership of the 25x'25 national campaign for raising the awareness of
- 19 American people on the vital issues of renewable energy resources.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed

2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Steering Committee of the 25x'25

3 national campaign.